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EDUCATION

University of Warwick - LLB Law | 2024-2027

- Year 1 average: 66.3; Criminal Law (71), Tort Law (68), Law, State and the Individual (68), Understanding Law in Context (58).

The Indian High School, Dubai - HSC Grade XII, Commerce Stream | 2024

GEMS Millennium School, Sharjah - SSC Grade X | 2022

LEGAL EXPERIENCE & SELECTED PROGRAMMES

Gibson Dunn - University Scheme | Jun 2026

- Completed commercial legal research, drafting and analytical exercises across practice-area tasks, developing issue-spotting and written analysis.
- Delivered a team client pitch to lawyers across the Dubai and Abu Dhabi offices, receiving positive feedback on presentation structure, confidence and delivery.

DLA Piper - Brand Ambassador | Aug 2025 - Apr 2026

- Selected as one of 30 UK students to represent DLA Piper at Warwick, promoting firm opportunities and increasing student engagement with commercial-law careers.
- Acted as a campus point of contact for firm initiatives, developing stakeholder communication, event promotion and networking skills.

BCLP / Aspiring Solicitors - 2025 Academy | 2025

- Selected as one of 30 students across the UK for legal training, mentorship and networking with practitioners, strengthening understanding of solicitor competencies and commercial practice.

Linklaters - Middle East Insight Programme | 2025

- Completed a week-long programme on Linklaters' Middle East practice, building commercial awareness through practice-group overviews, commercial workshops, trainee and partner panels, and sessions on legal tech, pro bono and diversity.

Aspiring Solicitors - AS First Internship Programme | Jan - Apr 2025

- Completed a three-month early-career programme focused on commercial law exposure, employability and solicitor-skill development.

Mohamed Salman Lawyers & Chanakyatse Consultancy, UAE - Legal Intern | Jul - Aug 2024

- Drafted legal documents, conducted legal research and observed client and matter discussions within a UAE legal practice.
- Supported day-to-day matter organisation in a fast-paced environment, building attention to detail, confidentiality and time-management skills.

Selected Virtual Legal & Commercial Simulations | 2023-2024

- Completed simulations across M&A, technology, climate change, commercial law, white-collar defence, business teams and investment banking, including programmes by A&O Shearman, Clifford Chance, Clyde & Co, HSF, Linklaters, Latham & Watkins, Slaughter and May and JPMorgan Chase.

LEGAL, COMMERCIAL & PRO BONO ACTIVITIES

- Warwick Law Society Death Penalty Pro Bono Project (2024): researched mitigating circumstances for people facing capital punishment, working alongside American lawyers.
- Commercial Negotiations Competition (2024): advanced to the Octo-finals in a competitive negotiation exercise.
- Commercial awareness: attended sessions with Linklaters, Slaughter and May, Taylor Wessing, Travers Smith, Ropes & Gray, Eversheds Sutherland and Sidley on M&A, finance, real estate, applications and networking.

LEADERSHIP & RESPONSIBILITY

- Vice President, Indian National Students Association, University of Warwick (2025-2026); previously Outreach Subcommittee Member and Fresher Ambassador (2024), supporting society outreach and student engagement.
- Careers Subcommittee Member, International European Law Society, University of Warwick (2024), supporting careers-focused activity and student engagement.
- Community volunteering: Warwick Volunteers YouthMappers, Ramadan food distribution and UAE Red Crescent clothing donations.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Languages: English, Hindi, Marathi and Arabic.
- Work authorisation/status: UK Student Visa; UAE resident visa.
- Skills and interests: legal research, drafting, client pitching, negotiation, public speaking, Microsoft Word, PowerPoint and Excel; commercial law, M&A, finance, Middle East transactions, legal tech and Indian Kathak dance.